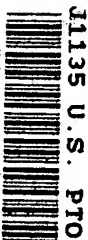


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Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find a new patent application for: "Control for Complete Blood Count Analysis System" by Richard Torres et al. The application consists of an 10 page specification, 3 pages of claims, 1 drawing sheet, a title page, and an abstract page. An executed declaration and an assignment are enclosed.

The inventors are Richard Torres, Robert A. Levine and Stephen C. Wardlaw. The inventors are independent inventor small entities.

A check in the amount of \$410.00 in payment of the filing and recordal fees is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted.

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